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Final Plans for YMCA Barbecue



Members of the Agawam Community YMCA Barbecue Committee met last week at the home of Chairman, Nicholas Zucco to prepare final plans for the annual Chicken Barbecue to be held this Saturday, June 20 from 2:30 to 6:30 p.m. on the spacious grounds of the "Y" Outdoor Center at 108 Perry Lane, Agawam. Pictured above left to right: Nicholas Zucco, Chairman; Jack Moltenbrey, Doris Williams, Rita Moore and Santo Cannarella.

Chairman Zucco has established a fine reputation as a "Master Chef" and has enlisted the assistance of an experienced

group of Lions Club members and members of the YMCA Board of Directors to serve the delicious meal.

A program of accordian music has been offered by the well known and talented "Fascinators" Joseph Dynia, Norman Avondo, Jr., David Perusse, James Elasmar, Jr., and Kenneth Goodwin under the guidance of Mr. Raymond Perusse.

The YMCA Pool will be opened from twelve noon until dark with athletic contests conducted by David Theodorowicz and Thomas O'Keefe for all who wish to participate.

It is hoped that many Agawam residents will bring their families for an afternoon of recreation, good fellowship and good food. Barbecue tickets may be secured from Chairman Nick Zucco, Ernest Swanson, William McLellan, Paul Adams, Jr., Charles Benoit, Santo Cannarella, Jannette Chandler, Loren Clark, Fred Emerson, Stella Galerani, Kenneth Grady, Roland Jacobs, James Leomis, John Magovern, Frank Meyer, Jr., Rita Moore, Anthony Nacewicz, James O'Keefe, Samuel Provo, Archie Taylor, and Doris Williams. Everyone is welcome to come.

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NE U Graduates



THOMAS F. BUONICONTI

The 63rd annual Commencement Exercises of Northeastern University was held last Sunday at the Boston Garden. Among the graduates were Thomas F. Buoniconti, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Buoniconti of Rowley Street, who received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration.

Robert H. Davio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Davio of Main St., received a Bachelor of Science degree in Pharmacy.

Junior High Honor Roll Announced

Principal Raymond Harris of the Agawam Junior High School at the final assembly announced the term honor roll for the seventh and eighth grades. A total of 15 eighth graders and 22 seventh graders attained maximum honors, while 91 eighth graders and 88 seventh graders made general honors.

MAXIMUM HONORS:

Grade 8—Term Gerald Alfano, Sharon Baines, James Elasmar, Walter Ennaco, Sharon Harris, Deborah Gaunt, Francis Lowell, Gregory Orr, David Piech, Donna Ploof, Linda Press, Kurt Raschi, David Stevenson, Donald Wade, Kenneth Whitman.

GENERAL HONORS:
Jay Amaral, Harold Atwater, (Continued on Page 2)

Dartmouth Graduate



THOMAS C. CLARK

HANOVER, N. H. — A Dartmouth College senior from Agawam, Mass., was among the more than 690 members of the senior class to participate in commencement exercises held here last Sunday in Dartmouth's 195th year.

Thomas C. Clark of 28 Reed Street received a bachelor of arts degree from President John Sloan Dickey. Jean Lesage, prime minister of the Canadian province of Quebec, delivered the commencement address.

At Dartmouth, Clark majored in government and was a brother of the Kappa Kappa Kappa fraternity. He was also active with the Dartmouth Christian Union and WDCR, the student operated radio station. He is a graduate of the Agawam High School.

Valley Church Men's Club Chicken Barbecue June 28

Announcement was made today of the first annual Chicken Barbecue of the Valley Community Men's Club to be held on Sunday, June 28 from 12 noon to 4 p.m. on the Rising farm on Shoemaker Lane in Feeding Hills.

Tickets for this barbecue will be phenomenally low, under one dollar, and will be put on sale this week in several different stores and businesses as well as through members of the Men's Club.

A half chicken will be served, with potato chips, a side dish, rolls and butter, dessert, coffee.

Jaycees To Host Golf Tournament And Dance June 24

The Agawam Junior Chamber of Commerce will host a golf tournament for boys on June 24 at the Feeding Hills Country Club. To be eligible, the entrant must not reach age 18 until after August 15, 1964.

The winners of the Agawam Tournament will participate in the State finals which is to be held at Shaker Farms Country Club in Westfield.

All interested boys should contact one of the following Jaycees for further information: Fred Robbins at 736-3130; Brian McNeal at 733-3344; Charles Brantley at 736-2921; or Chester Tymanski at 739-0330. Application blanks are available at Mitchell's Atlantic Station on Springfield Street.

A block dance will be held on June 26 at the Hollow Pines Shopping Center on Springfield Street to honor the winners of the Agawam Jaycees Golf Tournament. The dance will start at 8 p.m. Ample parking is available. In case of rain, the dance will be held on June 27.

Missionary Speaker At Lay Memorial

Mrs. Jean Rogers of St. James Church, will be guest speaker at Lay Memorial Church in Feeding Hills, Wednesday evening, June 24, at 8 p.m.

The North End Missionary work will be the subject of her speech. The public is invited to attend.

Mrs. Rogers is a parish worker at St. James Methodist Church in Springfield, and conducts the advanced special missionary program which was originated at St. James Methodist Church by Rev. Evers. Slides will be shown on the project. Coffee and dessert will be served, giving the attending members an opportunity to ask questions on the program.

Brady Testimonial Ticket Sales End 25th

Early ticket sales indicate large turnout at Postmaster Mary Brady's testimonial dinner-dance set for Saturday, June 27th at the Agawam National Guard Armory, Maynard St. No tickets will be sold at the door and the sale of tickets will end next Thursday, according to Dinner-Dance Chairman George Casiello, assistant postmaster.

The chicken will be barbecued under the direction of Leonard Rising, well-known caterer, which assures patrons of a good tasting meal.

Some of the committee members who will be working on the Barbecue program are: John Adams, John MacPherson, Leonard Rising, Williston Griffin, John Sanders, Benjamin Fish, Albert Nichols, William Gemme, George Decker, Alfred Ongalls, Charles Deliso, Samuel Griswold, Richard Taylor, Edward Giguere, Christy Seriva, Arthur Stanwell, Gilbert Bowden, Roderic Light and others.

Tickets may be secured through the above members or by calling John Adams at 737-1311. A list of stores and businesses handling tickets will be issued shortly.

MEYER PUPILS RECITAL JUNE 28

The piano and violin pupils of Mrs. David Meyer will present their annual recital on June 28th at 8 p.m. in the social hall of the Feeding Hills Congregational Church. The public is cordially invited.

Eleven students, from 6 years to 16 years old, will perform in the program:

Bridget Carney, Tonya Coppolo, Mary Jones, Cindy Lou Jernney, Marcia Kida, Sheila Kida, Peter Meyer, Charlene Rawson, Karen Rawson, Virginia O'Reilly and Deborah Yoxall.

Guests accompanist will be Mrs. Ernest Swanson and ushering Kathy Sweeny and Marilyn McCobb.

A social hour will follow with refreshments being served by ladies of the church.

Thompson Graduate Of Clark University



JOHN A. THOMPSON

Worcester Mass. — John A. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Thompson, of Autumn St., Agawam, was one of 347 students to graduate from Clark University this month. John is a 1960 graduate of Agawam High School. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree with honors in chemistry. While at Clark University, John was a member of Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity, the chemistry club, and active in intramural sports, recipient of National Science Foundation Grant for Undergraduate Research.

CHURCH NEWS

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Floyd C. Bryan, Minister
Mrs. Andrew G. Toussaint,
Minister of Music

Thursday, 12 noon — Ladies Aid Picnic at Mrs. Donald Gould's home, 45 Federal St.

Friday, 7:30 p.m. — Sanctuary Choir rehearsal.

Sunday, 9:30 a.m. — Church at Morning Worship. Service of Recognition for Senior High Graduates and Choir... Rev. Bryan, preaching and Commissioning of young people attending summer Conference Camps.

Monday, 7:30 p.m. — Fellow and Recreation Study Group of the Building Expansion Committee.

Tuesday, 8 p.m. — Social Action Committee meeting.

FEEDING HILLS CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Arthur N. Sweeney
Mrs. Fred Nardi, Sr. Organist
Mrs. D. Myer, Jr. Choir Director

Friday — 8:30 a.m. Agawam Protestant Clergy Breakfast at home of Rev. Floyd Bryan.

Saturday—Church reserved for a wedding.

Sunday — 9:30 a.m. Summer hour for Worship Service... Visitors most welcome. "Come as you

are" this day—picnic to follow. 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.—annual church family picnic at Stanley Park, Westfield... Fun for all ages, Coffee, cold drink, ice cream supplies by the committee. Plan to eat at 12:30 p.m. in the pavilion. 6:30 p.m. Installation by Council of Rev. August Woerner, Hope Church in Springfield.

LAY MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Kenneth Thornton, Minister

Mrs. H. Binns, Organist

Mrs. M. Keyes, Sr. Choir Director

Mrs. R. Ashton, Jr. Choir Director

Saturday—5:30 and 6:30 p.m. WSCS public smorgasbord.

Sunday — 9:30 Worship Service—11 a.m. Church Picnic at Look Park.

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

Rev. Dominic A. Ruseetta, CPS Rector

Rev. James T. Cunningham, CPS, Assistant

Mass Schedule

Sundays: 6, 7, 8:30, 10:30 a.m.

Weekdays: 7 a.m.

Tuesday—7:30 p.m. St. Anthony Devotions.

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ST. DAVID'S CHURCH

Rev. John S. Tyler, Vicar

Sunday — 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.

Wednesday — 7:30 p.m. Adult choir practice.

VALLEY COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. Frank E. Dunn,
Guest Minister

Mrs. John Cesan, Secretary

Mrs. John MacPherson,

Mrs. Harry Prior,
Music Directors

Saturday — 4 to 8 p.m. Ice Cream Social... sponsored by the young people at the Storrowton grounds.

Sunday — 10 a.m. Worship Service at Storrowton Church at Eastern States Exposition grounds; Sunday School classes in session... Nursery for very small fry; Children's Day — Baptism... Family picnic following service, all members invited. 6:30 p.m. Youth organization meeting at Storrowton.

At the recent Friendly Circle meeting held at the church the following officers were elected for the coming year: Miss Maude Light, president; Mrs. A. E. Ingalls, vice-president; Mrs. Edgar Giguere, secretary; Mrs. Henry Maurer, treasurer.

Twins Mothers Club Family Picnic Sunday

The Hampden County Mothers of Twins Club will hold their annual Family Picnic on Sunday June 21 at 12 noon, at Area #2, Nonotuck Park, Easthampton, Mass. Games and activities for both the children and adults will start at 2 p.m. All Mothers of Twins and their entire families are welcome.

Chairman of the picnic is Mrs. Joseph Karas of Chicopee Falls. Members of her committee are: Mrs. James Yarber, Chicopee Falls; Mrs. Richard Namegire, Ludlow; Mrs. Charles Heath, Springfield; and Mrs. Robert J. O'Donnell, Jr., Springfield.

Junior High . . .

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Joanne Ayotte, Paul Baldiga, April Binfield, Janice Borgatti, Kathleen Breuninger, Linda Brown, Mark Brown, Jacqueline Card, Frederick Carrigg, Janice Cartello, William Catelotti, James Chicklas, Paul Cimma, Deborah Cloran, Robert DeFilipi, Joanne DeMont, Denise Denoncourt, Ronice DiDonato, John DiPietro, Barry Donovan, Francis Doyle, Linda Doyle, Susan Doyle, Deborah Dugan, Christine Fleming, Robert Waniewski.

Five JHS Students Receive Gold Pins

At the final assembly at the Agawam Junior High School the following students were awarded the Junior High School Gold Pin for having earned 45 credits throughout their Junior High School career: Sharon Baines, Joanne DeMont, Deborah Dugan, Holly Kistner and Marie Mattoon. The Gold Pin is the highest personal award a Junior High School Student can receive.

Robert Waniewski.

GENERAL HONORS:

Julie Alvigini, Mark Andrews, Donna Atwater, David Bailey, Diane Baker, William Barker, Philip Bassi, Edward Benoit, Susan Brown, Robert Campbell, Karen Catchepaugh, Marcia Cebrelili, Diana Ciborowski, Timothy Collins, Donald Conkey, Michael Connolly, Diana Corbin, Barbara Cordi, Diane Coventry, Kathleen Crouss, Richard Deni, Diane DiDonato, Michael DiDonato, Henry Drewnowski, Brian Dutton, Lynn Dynia, Susan Egbert, Maureen Ferrell, Daniel Ferris, Frenette Barbara, Gail Gacone.

Also: Dennis Gaffey, Eileen Gaffey, Margery Galica, Linda Girard, Carol Goodwin, Kenneth Goodwin, Jill Gregory, Darilyn Hill, Karen Hill, Cheryl Jackson, Frederick Jeserski, Cynthia Johnson, Susan Johnson, Elizabeth Kelley, Kathleen Kosak, Judith Locke, Alexander Loss, Debra Madenski, Jeanne Manning, Paula Maslanka, Norma Massa, Janice Mierzejewski, Cynthia Milici, Susan Montagna, William Morin, Nancy Morytko, Barbara O'Reilly, Susan Parchiek, Charles Parker, Richard Paro, Roland Perkins, Steven Pond, Robert Quinn, Deborah Ricco.

Also: Andrea Roach, Susan Romanko, Raymond Rossi, Linda Sapelli, Sherry Sausville, Dolores Scherpa, John Scherpa, Russell Scott, Victoria Shibley, Beth Stansfield, Kenneth Stawasz, Linda Strole, Steven Sweeney, Anne Marie Tarnauskas, Richard Taylor, Marjorie Tomski, Robert Tudor, James Valenti, Joan Weirzowski, Cheryl Wilson, Stuart Wilson, Alan Wright, Harold Wright.

Grade 7—Term

MAXIMUM HONORS:

Donna Ashton, Christine Ayers, Gail Arnold, Brian Blackburn, James Brown, Eileen Burns, Richard Cimma, Terry Collins, Joanne DellaGuistina, Alan Edwards, Barbara George, Thomas Henry, George Huba, Marsha Kida, Karen Kimball, John Nahajlo, Bruce Nunn, Nancy Osolinski, Christine Raschi, Janet Thompson, Paul Vella.

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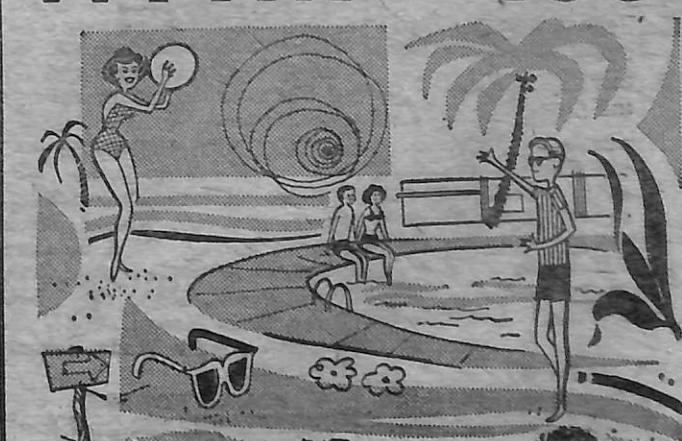
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Summer School Policy at AHS

Guidance Director David Skolnick of the Agawam High School announces the following summer school policy:

Students who attend summer school and who receive a grade of "B" or better will receive credit for summer school work without taking an examination.

Students failing to obtain a grade of "B" must take an examination given by Agawam High School providing they pass their summer school courses.

All students who have private tutors must take an AHS examination at the high school.

These examinations will be given on the day after Labor Day at 1 p.m. in the Agawam High School, September 8th. NO ONE IS EXCUSED FROM TAKING THIS EXAMINATION!

The examination administered by Agawam High School will be marked "Satisfactory" or "Unsatisfactory".

If the examination is marked "Unsatisfactory", the student will not be allowed to receive credit for his summer school work.

If the examination is marked "Satisfactory", the summer school mark will be entered on the student's cumulative record form with credit.

F. H. Post Office Seeks Vehicle Bids

The Feeding Hills Post Office has announced that invitations have been issued to bid on the 1965 fiscal year servicing and maintenance of the government-owned vehicle. Bids will be accepted until 2 p.m. daylight saving time, June 19 at which time bids will be opened and recorded.

The Post Office operates two right-hand drive Chevrolet trucks of $\frac{3}{4}$ -ton capacity. The contract will cover the usual terms of lubrication, road service, battery and tire service, washing, waxing, mechanical repairs, etc.

The Post Office Department reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Proper bid forms are available at the Post Office and additional information may be obtained there.



At the Agawam Lions Club meeting last night, District Governor-elect Arthur Tinney of Cheshire installed the new officers for the coming year. His remarks on Lionism were sincere and augured well for his administration commencing at the International Convention at Toronto in about a month.

At the meeting of the outgoing and incoming Board of Directors, it was voted to sponsor a player on the Post 185 American Legion Junior Baseball team and \$75 was allocated.

July 15th will mark the 10th year of the Golf Outing at Feeding Hills Country Club. Menu for the family-style dinner will be roast sirloin of beef, with all the fixings.

August 29th will feature the Tail Twister's party at the Sacred Heart Pavilion, and will consist of a steak roast.

Profile of a Lion

He is a respected citizen of his community.

He is reverent to his God, loyal to his country, and uncompromising in his devotion to both.

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He recognizes authority, accepts responsibility and exercises self-discipline, realizing that only through proper organization can Lionism achieve its greatest goals.

He gives willingly of his time, energy, and substance to assist his community and the needy.

He meets regularly with his fellow Lions and through the common denominator of "friendship" confers, plans, and carries out the objectives of his Lions Club.

He is an ordinary guy, enjoys fun and good fellowship, although not perfect he is ever mindful of human concern.

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St. Davids Auxiliary Has Annual Meeting

On recent date the members of St. David's Auxiliary held their annual meeting in the parish hall. Mrs. Virginia Lake, retiring president, gave a report reviewing the activities of the past year. Highlighting the report was the establishment of a permanent Missions relationship with the Episcopal Church of San Andres in Santo Domingo in the Dominican Republic. Through the years the Auxiliaries of these two churches will exchange thoughts, letters and gifts, looking forward to the time when representatives of each auxiliary will exchange visits. Like services of Prayer and Meditation are planned for the devotionals of the meetings and from this will ensue a stronger tie betwixt the two churches.

New Officers Elected

At the election of officers Mrs. Ruth Lafleur was elected president, Mrs. Virginia Lake, vice-president, Mrs. Betty Poggi, secretary and Mrs. Rene White, treasurer. These officers will appoint chairmen of the main committees of Auxiliary work—these being Christian Devotions—Christian Social Relations—Christian Education—Missions—Church Periodicals—United Thank Offering—College work and the National Cathedral. At the close of the meeting, members gave a standing ovation to Mrs. Lake for her fine work and leadership as President of the auxiliary.

Quick Alaska can be easy! Cover a block of three-flavored ice cream with tiny marshmallows. Bake at 450° F. until lightly browned, and serve at once!

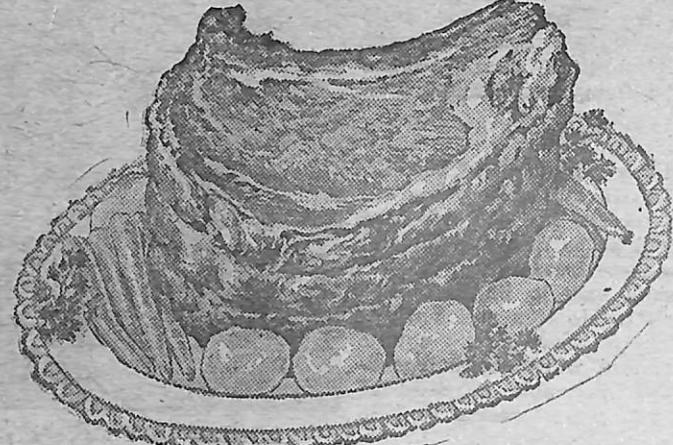
CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our friends, neighbors and relatives for their kind expression of sympathy during our recent bereavement in the loss of our son and grandson. Mrs. Doris Randall, and Mr. and Mrs. William Chapman, and family, 93 Adams St., Agawam.

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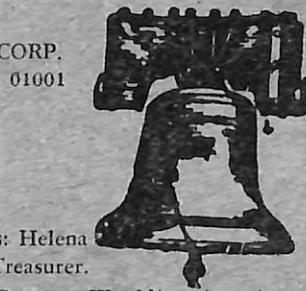
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Senator Edmund St. John of Adams, and Allan Ralph Zenowitz of Great Barrington, have been appointed to serve on the Credentials Committee for the Republican State Pre-Primary Convention to be held in Boston, starting on June 20th. The announcement of the appointments was made today by Frederick Dumaine Jr., Chairman of the Republican State Committee.

Senator St. John represents the Berkshire District in the State Senate, and Mr. Zenowitz is the Republican State Committeeman for the Hampden-Berkshire District.

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In the autumn of 1964, the citizens of Massachusetts from the Berkshires to the tip of Cape Cod will go to the polls to elect a new state treasurer.

I shall seek to be nominated and elected to this position.

I firmly believe that the time has arrived when the independent and honorable qualities of a woman are necessary to help pilot our ship of state.

Many recent Presidents have seen fit to appoint a woman treasurer of the United States. Ironically, however, in the long and glorious history of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts a woman has never been elected to this high state office. Women can make valuable contributions to government on both the national level and here in Massachusetts. The time has come for women to assume a greater role and share a greater responsibility.



LOUISE DAY HICKS

ney, and experienced in real estate and banking procedures. I have served as chairman and treasurer of the Boston School Committee, and I presently serve as a member of that historic body. I am the former treasurer of the Massachusetts Association of Women Lawyers.

Top off gelatin desserts with scoops of ice cream to tempt summer wilted appetites.

9:30 a.m., and will continue most

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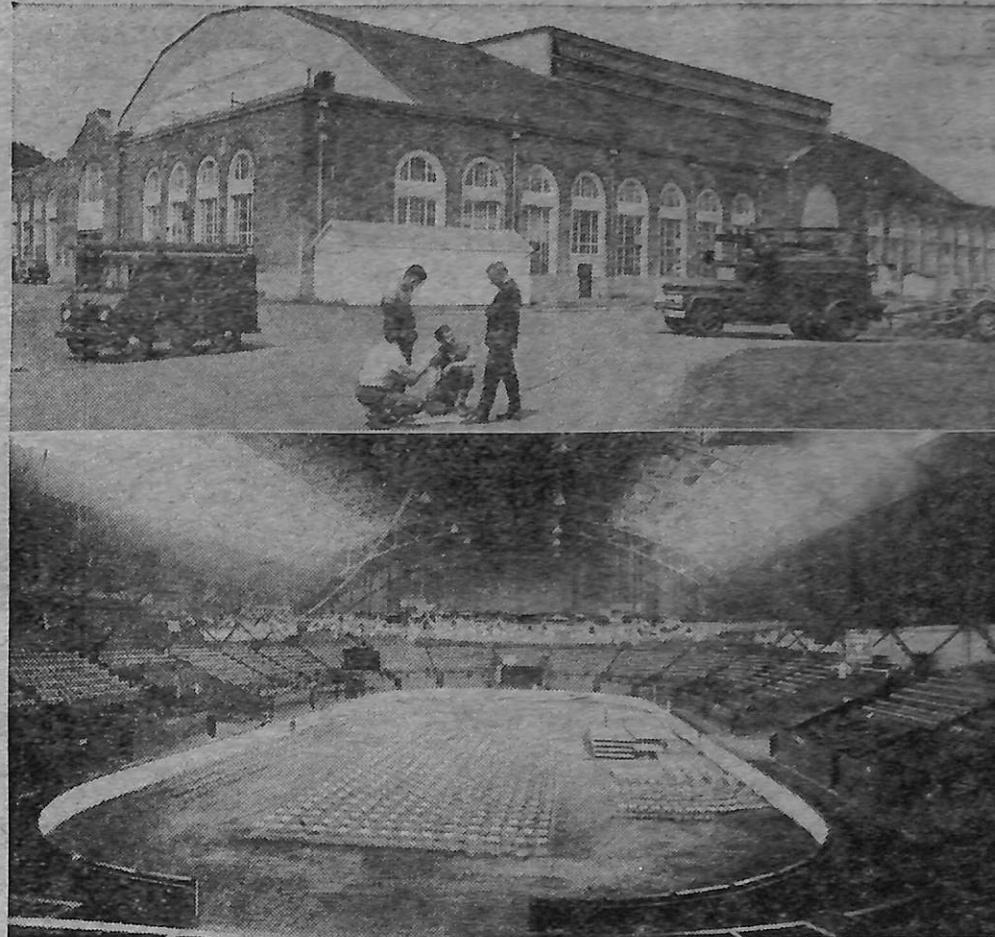
*Organic Chemistry
*Calculus and Analytic Geometry
Plane Trigonometry
*8 Weeks—June 22-Aug. 14

REGISTRATION WILL CONTINUE THROUGH MONDAY, JUNE 22
FROM 8 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

For Further Information, Phone or Write:

SUMMER PROGRAM
American International College
SPRINGFIELD, MASS.
TELEPHONE, REpublic 7-5331

Democratic State Convention (Exposition Coliseum)



INTERIOR — Self-explanatory. Eastern States Exposition Coliseum where 1,700 Democratic Delegates will meet in state convention June 18-20. EXTERIOR — Frank Grout, assistant general manager of the Eastern States Exposition (far right) is shown conferring with an unidentified member of the Democratic State Committee

(kneeling) and two New England Telephone Co. employees, Peter M. Praisner of Chicopee, left and Ronald Beaudet of West Springfield, on the layout of extra telephone lines being run into the coliseum for the use of press, wire services and convention delegates.

WWLP TO TELECAST DEMOCRATIC REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTIONS

Channels, 22, 32 and 14 will telecast the complete sessions of the Democratic State Convention in West Springfield on Friday, June 19th; and on Saturday, June 20th, will alternate the local pick-up with coverage of the Republican State Convention in Boston to give viewers the highlights of both meetings. WJZB—Channel 14 in Worcester will sign on earlier both days in order to bring complete coverage to Worcester.

Channel 22 will furnish pool video coverage of the Democratic sessions to all Boston television stations and to Channel 40. The WWLP Mobile Unit will be stationed at the Coliseum to control the four Channel 22 cameras set up throughout the hall to cover all convention activities.

Live coverage is scheduled to start at 1:00 p.m., Friday, and will continue through the afternoon. It will resume Friday evening following the banquet. The Saturday session is slated for

of the day. WWLP Program Vice President Jerry Barnes will be in direct communication with the Boston Arena and the Coliseum throughout Saturday, and will put on the air whichever meeting has the most important action at any given time.

News Director Ed Kennedy will supervise the coverage.

Help Your . . .

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playing might cause one to dart in front of the vehicle.

"Sometimes when I stop where several children are congregated some of them even crawl over or hang on sides of the vehicle and this, of course, is extremely dangerous. This is a particular problem with the pre-school youngsters. Occasionally before I can move on to the next box it is necessary for me to alight and walk around my vehicle to be sure that all of the children are out of the way.

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June 3 — To Mr. and Mrs. James J. Johnson, 499 Silver St., Agawam.

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June 5 — To Mr. and Mrs. William J. Horacek, 179 Maynard St., Agawam.

June 10 — To Mr. and Mrs. James D. Fogg, 19 Fruwirth Ave., Feeding Hills.

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Fabulous 6th Season

The first big Broadway musical of the summer season at Storowton Music Fair opens Monday, June 22, bringing handsome stage and screen star Jean Pierre Aumont and lovely Eva Gabor together on the circular stage in a romantic fable of love and intrigue, "Tovarich." Set in Paris at the outset of the Russian Revolution, the seemingly improbable plot that casts a Czarist Prince and Grand Duchess from the rank of nobility into the roles of servants, sets the stage for some highly amusing antics.

"Tovarich" is a Russian term of endearment, equivalent to the French "Mon cher ami" or the American "Comrade." As applied in the musical, however, the word is used deceptively by revolutionary, agents attempting to lure the royal couple into a Bolshevik trap. At stake is 4 billion francs entrusted to the couple by the Czar. But the charming and personally impoverished Prince and Grand Duchess, clever enough to pilfer Parisian markets of enough daily food to sustain them in their poverty, are equally clever in outsmarting their pursuers and fleeing "From Russia With Love" with trickery and cunning that would make James Bond envious.

The fun begins when the emigres offer themselves as domestics to an American family in Paris. The Prince becomes a butler, the Grand Duchess a maid, and no family has ever had more endearing servants. Helen and George, the teen-age offspring of the household, manage to keep the loveable couple on their toes as they begin to feel the romantic tingle of young love in bloom for their remarkable "Tovarich," with its melodic ballads, energetic dances, and captivating stars, will be directed by Storowton Music Fair favorite Richard Barstow, and Zoya Leporska will

stage the dances. The musical will be offered for one week only beginning Monday, June 22. Curtain times are 8:30 p.m., Monday through Friday; 9 p.m., Saturday; 2 p.m., Wednesday matinee; 4:30 p.m., Saturday matinee where a child under the age of 12 is admitted free with the purchase of each full-priced adult ticket.

PROMENADERS

SQUARE DANCE



AL AND ELAINE TAUPIER

Bob Kent, who hails from Warwick, Rhode Island, proved to be a very enjoyable guest caller. A nice crowd enjoyed dancing to his lovely, but smooth calling. Several of the couples learned a round dance to the record of Blame it on the Bosa Nova, taught by Bob Kent's wife.

Joe Gasperini, our new president, announced future plans for a new class in the fall with Dick Mastroianni as caller-teacher. The fun night has been scheduled for September 15, so all prospective dancers should keep this in mind.

Joe also announced that the closing of reservations for steak roast tickets will be extended to Saturday, June 20. Please contact Steve and Lucille Parchick for tickets. We are sure the evening will prove most entertaining.

We were glad to see Joe and Helen Draghetti back, after Joe's recent injury. Seems to be practically back to normal.

Dom and Arline DiClementi were on hand to serve refreshments.

VWWI CARD PARTY WINNERS

The fifth game of the present series of Whist Parties sponsored by the Veterans of World War One was held last Wednesday evening in the Agawam National Guard Armory, Maynard Street. The winners of Door prizes were, Rose Hayden, Carl Carrier, Maude McMahon and Louis Franchere.

Mystery prize winners were Gaston Allard, Ruth Cusson and Edith Burton. Ladies Ace prize was awarded to Effie Larabee and Harold Vaughn for men.

The following play prizes were awarded: Ladies — 1st Edna Landers, 2nd Gladys Cordes, 3rd Jo Newcomb and consolation, Mary Tryon; Men — 1st Harold Vaughn, 2nd George Blood, 3rd Ralph Stetson and consolation George Payne.

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matinee idol of millions, will open the Gala Season of Stars, at the Mt. Tom Playhouse, in the hilarious comedy "Strictly Dishonorable", June 22 thru June 27.

E.L. Stamp Club Contest and Picnic

A contest for the best coin and stamp exhibit will be the feature of the East Longmeadow Coin and Stamp Club picnic Sunday, June 28. The contest is open to all junior members and prizes awarded will be based on originality, neatness, and educational value. There will be surprise gifts for every junior member entering.

The picnic will be held at 2:30 p.m., at Dietrich's Grove Forest Park Dairy, 343 Shaker Road, East Longmeadow, Mass. Members may invite their families and guests. A small donation will be asked to help cover the cost. Last year's picnic was a big success with a number of the younger members entering the contest. Junior Members — get busy with your exhibit and see if you will be winner this year!

Willy was sobbing bitterly. Between sobs he told the teacher, "I don't like school and I have to stay here until I am 16." "Don't let that worry you," consoled the teacher, "I have to stay here until I am 65."

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Cesar Romero Opens Mt. Tom Playhouse

The Gala Opening is here — Monday, June 22 is the Inaugural Day for the new MT. TOM PLAYHOUSE in Holyoke. It will be the culmination of all the work and changes that Hugh Fordin has wrought in this short time, to give the theatre in Mountain Park, a change of policy, a change of name, a facelifting, . . . a complete renovation of image for the theatre goers of the Pioneer Valley.

Opening this Premiere Season with Cesar Romero in the laugh riot "Strictly Dishonorable," June 22 thru June 27, Mr. Fordin anticipates a record turnout. Mr. Romero has long been a favorite matinee idol of motion pictures, TV and stage, and has been leading man to many of the top star leading ladies such as Carole Lombard, Sonja Henie, Betty Grable, Jean Peters and Greer Garson.

He has appeared in the Broadway production of "Dinner at Eight," "Spring in Autumn," and "Ten Minute Alibi."

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SPORTSMEN'S CORNER

By Bill Chiba

Earl Doucette, Maine Economic Development, reports that stripers are beginning to show up along Maine's southern coast, anglers are looking for another good season. While small numbers of stripers always have visited Maine waters it is only in recent years that enough of them have shown up to constitute a major sports fishing.

Stripers have accomplished something of a break through with Maine fresh water fishermen who heretofore have not had a high opinion of saltwater fishing. The out-of-stater has been

the one who has been having the time of his life catching the bathers while on vacation in Maine. Now, more and more of the natives are having a go at the salt water species after trout and salmon fishing cools off. Use a fly-rod or spinning rod on a good sized stripers and you have your hands full.

GOOD VACATION SPOT

The season for small-mouthed bass opened June 1 with fly and single-hook lures fishing only for the first three weeks, after that all natural and artificial baits may be used. Reason for the early flyfishing rule is that bass are spawning at that time.

Maine certainly has some of the best small-mouth bass fishing on the continent, and for a peculiar reason. With few exceptions Maine anglers don't fish for bass, even though this fish is probably the national favorite. Thus the bass fishing is left for the visiting anglers much to their satisfaction. Small-mouthed bass are distributed well over southern, central and eastern Maine.

Hottest spot is far eastern Washington County where the fishing is so good that no one ever has been able to exaggerate it. Many anglers have taken 100 fish in a day, returning all but the limit, of course.

Atlantic salmon are being taken from Maine's eastern rivers, but not in great numbers. The fish are hanging back in the brackish water waiting for a good runoff that will toll them into the rivers. A real good rainfall is needed and the action

should be worth going miles to see.

For those of you have a hankering to try these rivers let me say again that you couldn't ask for easier access to fishing waters. U. S. Route 1 takes you across bridges handy to pools. Others are not more than a "five iron shot" from where you leave your car. No special licenses are required, you don't have to hire a guide. If the Atlantics are not hitting while you are there, you have scores of other waters where you can fish for landlockers, trout, and bass.

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Little Rock is in Norfolk undergoing annual drills and inspections before cruise to the North Atlantic in early June. The ship is scheduled to embark 275 Midshipmen from the U. S. Naval Academy for the annual Midshipman Training Cruise, before leaving for the North Atlantic.

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ROUTE 1

Monday, June 22 — Arnold, Broz, Carmen Ave., Cleveland, Coronet Cir., Frances, Gale, Grant, Hall, Harding, Homer, James, Letendre Ave., Liberty, McKinley, Maynard, Norman, Norman Ter. Ext., North, Oak Ln., Robin Lane, Sherman Ave., Taft, Wilson, and Woodside Ter.

ROUTE 2

Tuesday, June 23 — Acorn, Asnoli Pl., Annable, Aubudon, Bessbrook, Chapin, Cherry, Cofemore, Daniel, Day, Eastern Ave., Fenlon, Franklin, Fruwirth Ave., Greenock, Hasting, Horsham Pl., Lenox, Lincoln, Line, Mooreland, Norwood, Oak, Park, Pierce, Portland Pl., Ralph, Ridgeway Dr., Sylvan Ln., Walton Ln., White, Wilbert Ter., Witheridge and Woodland St.

ROUTE 3

Wednesday, June 24 — Begley, Birchwood Ter., Bridge, Brookside Pl., Church, Cooley, Cottage, Dwight, Ellington, George, High, Highland, Hillcrest Ave., Howard, King, King Ave., Laurel, Lexington, Maple, McGrath Ter., Moore, Mulberry, Oak Ave., Oak Hill Ave., Orchard, Ottawa, Pasadena, Prospect, River, Scherpa, Spencer, Spring, Summer, Tower Ter., Valley, Walnut, Walnut St. Ext. and Winthrop St.

ROUTE 4

Thursday, June 25 — Belvedere, Brookline, Columbus, Giffin Pl., Greenacres Ln., Henry, Highland, Homestead Ave., Kensington, Mill, Norris, Northwood, Randall, Rhodes Ave., Rowley, Royal, Royal Ln., Springfield, and William St.

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Round The TownBy Ann Nael
phone ST 8-8996

Joseph DePalo, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DePalo of Meadow Street, is convalescing at home following surgery in Springfield Hospital.

Miss Rita Scales, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Scales of Reed St., Agawam, is enjoying a two week vacation at Minneapolis visiting relatives. Before returning home, Rita will spend a few days in Milwaukee.

25 Receive Typing Proficiency Awards

Proficiency awards in personal typewriting were presented to 25 Agawam Junior High School students at the final assembly by Principal Raymond Harris. Attaining 58 words per minute was Janice Borgatti followed by Lisa Werthamer with 57 words.

Others receiving awards were: Joanne Attardi, 54; Linda Doyle and Valerie Labun, 50; Linda Bushey, Nancy Watson, Judith Wills, 45; Jeanne Schneider, Bernard Tatro, 44; Jacqueline Card, Robert Syriac, 43; Annette Romano, 42; Laurel Fredette, Elaine Pandolfi, Marcia St. Onge, Charlotte Strom, George Skowron, 41; April Binfield, Deborah Ciak, Denise Denmoncourt, Mabel Desmond, Joan Donovan, John Monkiewicz, Ann Soja, 40.

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by Virginia Catchespau

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"There are nearly 100,000 Juniors enrolled in our American Legion Auxiliary this year, daughters of World War II veterans, most of them. They constitute one of America's largest youth groups, and they hold the hope of the Auxiliary for continuing service to community, state and nation. They carry out a broad program of activities designed to give training and to help in the endeavors of the adult members. Proud of them? We

beam with pride whenever we think of them!"

"June is the Month of Junior—when they show us their work and we applaud their accomplishments. Every Unit should turn full emphasis on Juniors in June and give them the encouragement of recognition. In their little hands rests the future of our American Legion Auxiliary and, who knows, perhaps the future of our America."

County Installation

Agawam member Anne Bissonette will be installed as County Historian at the installation to be held at Memorial School in West Springfield at 2 p.m. on the 20th.

Nominations and Elections

Picnic reservations for the 6 o'clock meeting on Monday, June 29th may be made with Mrs. Dolores Lanzillo ST 2-0598 or Mrs. Gladys Catchespau, RE 4-2322. Nominations and elections will be held following the meal.

Valley Church Ice Cream Social Sat.

An old-fashioned Ice Cream Social will be held on the lawn of Storroron Village Saturday, June 20 from 4 to 8 p.m. and is sponsored by the Youth Organization of the Valley Community Church.

Patrons of this activity will find the old-fashioned "fish-pond" as well as other spots that will be additionally interesting to the ice cream and cake which will be served.

The committee in charge of the afternoon affair includes Jackie Decker, John Wiley, III, Kenneth Bowden, Ronald Bowden, Stephen Gonyea, Victor Gonyea, Nancy Wiley, Catherine Taylor, Diane Washington, Deborah Patnode, Gordon MacPherson with Gilbert Bowden as Advisor.

Tickets may be purchased on the grounds or through any of the members of the Committee.

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COLLEGE NEWS

Keuka College

Miss Helen Marcella Twarog, daughter of Mrs. Theodore Twarog, 196 Elm Street, Agawam, was one of 116 students graduated by Keuka College, Keuka Park, N. Y., last Sunday during the college's 56th annual commencement. Miss Twarog was awarded the degree bachelor of Arts with a major in sociology.

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Boston College

Chestnut Hills, Mass.—Boston College, the Jesuit University, at Commencement exercises held June 8, Roy Nacewicz of Edgewater Road, received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration.

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Springfield College

Springfield, Mass.—Among the graduates at Springfield College last Sunday was James E. Walsh, son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Walsh of Campbell Drive, who received his Bachelor of Science degree in Teacher Education.

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Brighton Academy

At commencement exercises at Brighton Academy, Francis Gensheimer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Gensheimer of Charles St., was a debate prize winner. He was selected for a special yearbook award for outstanding service as a member of the business staff.

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Mass. Institute

Thomas J. Provost, of 54 James St., Feeding Hills, Mass., received the bachelor of science degree in mathematics at the 98th commencement exercises of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Friday, June 12.

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Tufts University

Medford, Mass.—Two Agawam students were awarded degrees at Tufts University's 108th Commencement Exercises.

Ann C. Bleek, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Bleek of 947 Main St., received the degree of Bachelor of Arts in Government from Jackson College for Women. She has been a member of Tufts Mountain Club, the Yacht Club, Newman Club, Tufts Chorus, and the International Club.

Kenneth P. Judd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick W. Judd of 54 Colonial Ave., received the degree of Bachelor of Science in Chemistry-Biology. He has been a member of the Yacht Club, Captain of the Lacrosse Team, member of the Varsity Club, and the Pre-Medical Society.

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Ward Schools

James Francis Harnois, son of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Harnois of 205 South Street, will receive a diploma in Business Automation from Ward Schools in Worcester at graduation exercises held at The Inn, 50 Franklin Street, Worcester, last Thursday. Mr. Harnois was an active member of the Newman Club while attending the Worcester School. He is a 1963 graduate of Agawam High School.

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Andover Institute
Miss Karen A. Ratcliffe, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Ratcliffe, Homer Street, Feeding Hills, has been awarded a scholarship by the Andover Institute of Business, Springfield, where she will pursue a Two-Year Executive Secretarial Program beginning September, 1964. She is a graduate of Agawam High School, where she was a recipient of the NOMA Award, was a member of the National Honor Society, Junior Red Cross, Spanish Club, Bowling Team, and participated in Girls' Sports.

The University announced that it conferred a degree in Bachelor of Landscape Architecture to David C. Seuss, Main St., Agawam, and Master of Science degree to William J. Bennett, North Westfield St., Feeding Hills, in Agricultural and Food Economics.

Wentworth Institute

Among the graduates at the Wentworth Commencement exercises held last Saturday in Boston's Symphony Hall was Robert Fini, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fini of Wilbert Ter., Feeding Hills. Robert was awarded an Associate degree for Mechanical Engineering Technology—Design Option. He was on the Dean's list, Athletic Manager, and a member of Sports Cars, Ski Clubs, and inter-class sports.

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